

24 January 1964

Captain W. F. Gannaway
Special Service Bureau
Dallas Police Department

Thru:
Lt. Jack Revill
Criminal Intelligence Section
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Dallas Police Department

SUBJECT: Criminal Intelligence (6)
Ralph Paul

Sir:

Pursuant to the instructions of Captain W. F. Gannaway the following information is submitted.

SUBJECT is a known associate of Jack Ruby and is a possible witness for the defence in the forthcoming trial of Ruby.

SUBJECT was interviewed by the undersigned officer November 30, 1963. (See Int. 2963-10) SUBJECT stated he has known Jack Ruby for about 15 years. Stated Ruby did not have any interest in the Bull Pen, 1936 E. Abrams, Arlington, Texas. Stated he has loaned Ruby money on several occasions to pay the rent at the Carousel Club. Stated Ruby called him about 15 minutes after the President was shot and told him he was going to close all his places for three days. Stated Ruby talked as if he was emotionally upset.

SUBJECT owns and operates The Bull Pen, 1936 E. Abrams, Arlington, Texas. SUBJECT is living on Copeland Road, Arlington, Texas.

T-1 stated SUBJECT was born December 17, 1904. He was divorced in 1931 and has not remarried. SUBJECT is buying a new home at present, Lot 8 Block 6 Western Plains Estates. SUBJECT made application to obtain a loan for this new home from Fleet National Mortgage Company, 2nd floor Sinclair Bldg., 5th and Main, Fort Worth, Texas.

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T-1 stated SUBJECT is buying a residence at 2026 Wilbur, Dallas, Texas. owes balance of \$4,000.00 to Foster and Son. Stated SUBJECT lived at this location prior to moving to Copeland Road, Arlington, Texas. Stated SUBJECT has lived in Arlington for 6 years.

T-1 stated SUBJECT'S mother, Tillie Paul is 82 years old and lives in New York City.

SUBJECT stated he was the sole owner of The Bull Pen, 1936 E. Abrams, Arlington, Texas and it was valued at \$45,000.00. Stated he owned a 1962 Cadillac, owed a balance of \$1,500.00 to the 1st National Bank, Arlington, Texas. SUBJECT stated he has \$1,000.00 in stocks in the Industrial Bank in Dallas and receives \$25.00 yearly in dividends. Stated he has the account for the Bull Pen, in the amount of \$11,000.00, \$3,000.00 personal and \$400.00 in savings, at the 1st National Bank, Arlington, Texas. SUBJECT'S trade good.

T-2 stated SUBJECT is the owner of The Bull Pen 1936 E. Abrams, Arlington, Texas. Stated in 1955 thru 1957 SUBJECT and G. L. Bowman formed a corporation, called B.O.P.A, Inc. This was the Bull Pen.

T-2 stated SUBJECT did own the Bluebonnet Bar, 1300 Commerce and the Miramar Restaurant, 1950 Fort Worth Avenue, Dallas, Texas.

The indices of the Record Bureau reveals SUBJECT was arrested December 21, 1952 for Investigation Violation State Liquor Law at the Bluebonnet Bar, 1300 Commerce, Dallas, Texas. SUBJECT gave home address at this time at 2026 Wilbur. Case was transferred to the County and was dismissed May 15, 1953.

The indices of the Identification Bureau were searched by Clerk Greenland with negative results.

The indices of the Sheriff Office were searched by Clerk Sanders with negative results.

The indices of the Special Service Bureau reveals that SUBJECT made application for beer license in 1956 for the Miramar Restaurant, 1950 Fort Worth Avenue. SUBJECT was living at 2026 Wilbur at this time. In 1957, 1958 and

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1959 SUBJECT was the Dance Hall Supervisor at the Vegas Club, 3508 Oak Lawn Avenue. In 1961 SUBJECT made application for beer license using the trade name G & R Corporation for the Carousel Club. SUBJECT listed himself as President and gave Abe Weinstein, Tom Samos and Johnny Cola as references. SUBJECT gave Copeland Street, Arlington, Texas as his home address.

Respectfully submitted,



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Criminal Intelligence Section